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In Re the Application of:

Kodas et al.

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For: "COMBINATORIAL SYNTHESIS  
OF MATERIAL SYSTEMS"

Commissioner for Patents  
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) RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Examiner's Action having a mailing date of January 2, 2004, with respect to the above-identified Application.

Applicants hereby request a 3-month extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136, extending the time period for response to July 2, 2004, and enclose a check for the extension fee. Please credit any overpayment or charge any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1419.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.

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